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DOUGLAS J. MCKNIGHT

Serial No.: 10/658,167

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Title: "LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY SYSTEM WITH
A DIELECTRIC LAYER DISPOSED ABOVE A
FIRST PIXEL ELECTRODE SURFACE AND
NOT ABOVE A SECOND PIXEL ELECTRODE
SURFACE" (as amended)

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111 TO
NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION, MAILED AUGUST 13, 2004

Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed August 13, 2004, Applicant
respectfully submits the following remarks and amendments set forth below and request

favorable action thereon. The amendments are formatted and presented in accordance with the Revised Format for Amendments promulgated earlier in 2003 by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

As the three-month shortened statutory period for reply is due November 13, 2004, this Response is therefore considered timely filed.

AMENDMENTS

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In the Specification

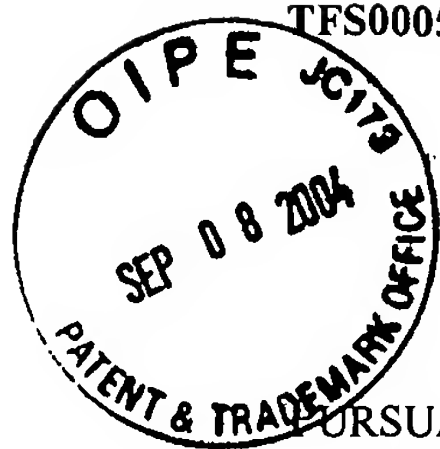
Please amend the title at page 1, line 1 as follows:

LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY SYSTEMS SYSTEM WITH A DIELECTRIC LAYER DISPOSED ABOVE A FIRST PIXEL ELECTRODES ELECTRODE SURFACE AND NOT ABOVE A SECOND PIXEL ELECTRODE SURFACE AT DIFFERENT DISTANCES FROM A CONTROL ELECTRODE

In the Claims

Please cancel claims 2, 8, 9, 13-19 and 25-31 without prejudice to file same in a continuation, continuation-in-part, divisional or co-pending application, and amend the remaining claims as indicated below.

Applicant respectfully submits that no amendments have been made to the pending claims for the purpose of overcoming any prior art rejections that would restrict the literal scope of the claims or equivalents thereof.

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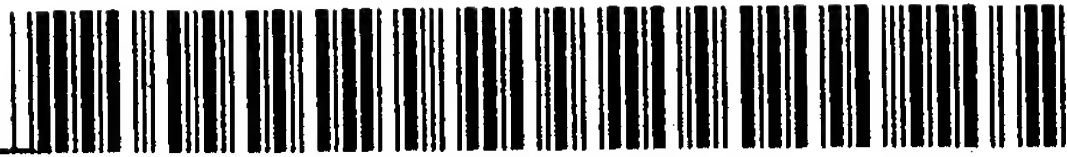
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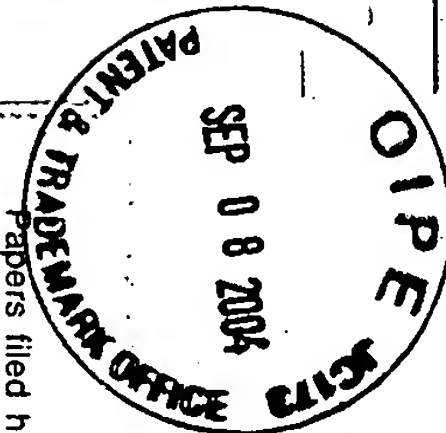
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